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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

This is in response to the Notice Of Non-Compliant Amendment of October 22, 2004 and to the Notice of December 9 2004 regarding a Failure to Acceptably respond to the Notice Of Non-Compliant Amendment. A one-month extension of time is respectfully requested. Claims 9, 10, 11, 18, 19, 22 and 23 are now in the application.